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## THE CROSSFIELD CHRONICLE

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## WE ALL WANT GAS SERVICE

When the proposal to pipe natural gas out of the province was first made, there were two resolutions passed by many Boards of Trade in Alberta towns. These were:

1. Before gas is exported, be sure we have enough for home consumption and export for at least 50 years.
2. Before we send gas to Vancouver, Seattle or Winnipeg—let's have it right here in our own town.

The provincial legislature provided for safeguards in the first point. Experts have to find adequate reserves of gas in Alberta before any is exported.

On the second point, however, there is still no established policy. The government of Alberta should see to it that, in arranging export, pipe lines will be established WITHIN the province itself to assure that Alberta towns, where a good many Albertans live, will get natural gas service.

That is the gist of a recent editorial in the Olds Gazette, which has been freely and severely criticized by the Calgary Albertan. It's probably a long time since the editor of the Albertan has had to leave his plush carpeted office and cosy home (a gas) fireplace in Calgary to stoke a reluctant coal or wood-burning heater. He thinks it is very short-sighted of the people of Olds to want natural gas before it is piped to distant and foreign points.

But we don't. With any plan to export Alberta's natural gas we maintain that a definite plan to provide the towns and villages of the province with gas service must be included. Any system giving gas service to scores of Alberta towns along the way, is what Albertans want. In the grid system of gathering, attention should be paid also to the importance of supplying the largest number of this province's towns and villages.

And with the royalties taken from the sale of natural gas the province can pay to subsidize extension of supply lines to other towns more remote from gathering lines and the trunk system.

## BALANCING THE FARM SUPPORT PROGRAM

Severe criticism from the big metropolitan centres is being levelled at the dominion government for its policy of price support. It has gone so far that Agriculture Minister Gardiner has been accused of pegging the price of wheat too high. Together with meat products, however, wheat has required no price support of any kind. There is still plenty of demand to assure farmers of fair returns on grains and meat. But, as the price structure of eggs, a small surplus can depress the whole market, and that is what makes government price support policy necessary.

The United States government has had much more experience in floor price policies than our own government.

Crop production was pretty good in the United States in 1949 and the government, under its price support programs, had to take over a vast amount of farm products. This does not mean that most of the money invested in these commodities will be lost. Some may be but bad weather and poor crops might change the picture in 1950 and enable the government to make a profit on some of its supplies. This has happened before.

Over a long period, therefore, it may be proven that support of farm prices by buying up surplus crops when yields are good is as sensible as putting money in a savings account, when income is high, just to have something available for a "rainy day."

But if we have a succession of years of big crops, and consequent heavy buying by the government, an equitable system of reducing crops by the necessary 10, 15 or 20 per cent of surplus will bring the farm price support program into balance. A cut in which will mean a reduction in plantings will be deployed in some circles but it would be extremely foolish to Canadian farmers to plan bumper crops year after year with no prospect of the government disposing of the surplus.

## KEEP DRUNKS FROM DRIVING

A man who has made it his business to gather data in connection with automobile accidents expresses the belief that possibly half of them are caused by drinking drivers.

If this statement be correct, it indicates that more stringent supervision of those who drive automobiles is advisable. The only way to establish the incorrectness of the assertion is through a more rigorous examination of all drivers involved in accidents.

The driver of an automobile, speeding on the highways at what the law permits today, is supposed to be in control of a vehicle that is potentially dangerous. Drivers of such vehicles, therefore, should be required to keep themselves in a condition proportionate to the public peril. This supposition, however, is not enough to safeguard pedestrians not engaged in automobile driving. Possibly, strict enforcement of existing statutes, with severe punishment of offenders, would do the work. It should be tried in Alberta.

## SCRIPTURAL MEDITATIONS

By AINSLEY BLAIR

"Jesus says, Abide in Me." These words convey the idea of rest, stability, confidence. Again He invites, "Come unto Me . . . and I will give you rest." Matt. 11:28. The words of the Psalmist express the same thought: "Rest in the Lord, and working thou shalt find Him." And Isaiah gives the assurance, "In quietness and in confidence shall ye stand by your strength." Isa. 30:18.

"This rest is not found in inactivity; for in the saviour's invitation the promise of rest is united with the call to labor: 'Take My yoke upon you . . . and ye shall find rest.' Matt. 11:29. The heart that rests most fully upon Christ will be most earnest and active in labor for Him."

—Steps to Christ—

## THE EXPLANATION

Mrs. Youngblood. Now I know why it was Dick went to work this morning singing as I never heard him sing before. Neighbor—What was it?

Mrs. Youngblood. I made a mistake and took my bird for breakfast instead of breakfast food.

## GUESSWORK

An English story: Shrook stopped his motor car at a dead end road and yelled to a farmer who lay on a cart of fertilizer: "Hi Cornstalk, is this the way to Croydon?"

The farmer raised himself from the fertilizer in astonishment.

"By heck, stranger, how did you know my name is Cornstalk?" he asked.

"I guessed it," said the motorist.

"Then by heck," said the farmer as he drove on, "guess you way to Croydon."

## That Gas Line

From OLDS GAZETTE

This newspaper has been in receipt of a barrage of mail from the Westcoast Transcanada Co. in regard to their proposed route for the transportation of Alberta gas to the main centres in B.C. Now we don't know who the Westcoast people are nor for that matter do we care but one thing that seems ridiculous to us is for these people to think that for one moment we will believe that they want to get the gas to the coast by the Al-Canadian route to sell gas to the consumers in Vancouver and New Westminster.

Now, in fact, we think we can safely say that it can't be done, and give the investors a run for their money. Nor do we think that the government of the province of Alberta will create a monopoly for Westcoast or any other transmission pipeline. All of which boils down to the fact that the quicker more companies enter the field and are set up under the Dominion Government Companies Act, the quicker we in Olds are going to get gas. We personally don't care if the pipeline goes to Tim Bue. Too long as they pass close enough to this town to guarantee us a supply of gas. We think in the long run that this will be the governing factor in the consideration of any application for export of Alberta's natural gas.

The oil fields of southwestern Ontario, among the continent's oldest, were first developed during

## Ling Fish Aid Fur Farmers

By T. W. FUE

When your wife or sweetheart tires of the mink coat she now has, sends it to the Salvation Army and puts the \$50 on your fur \$40.00 to buy a new one, don't be surprised. She's probably heard that fur ranchers on the shores of Lac Biche, 150 miles northeast of Edmonton, are making a new and better mink fur from mink fed on ling fish.

The fur industry has had its ups and downs. I recall learning in high school that Prince Edward Island was famous for its silver fox ranches that had made some people wealthy.

Before baby bunnies were initiated fur ranchers had been very well by trapping a fox a day and the breeding and raising of foxes in captivity was a profitable business.

T. W. FUE

## MILADY CHANGES MIND

But something happened to the style-consciousness of the lady of fashion who decided that short, close fur such as mink were more fashionable than the long trailing foxes. Result is that today mink are worth \$40.00 to \$60.00 and wild cat skins about \$1.50.

But what was bad for fox ranchers in Prince Edward Island was good for mink men in Alberta. And on the shores of Lac la Biche mink ranchers were doing well as long as they could catch fish from the big lake. When the commercial fish crop failed, and a ban was placed on fishing, a source of cheap, good mink food was cut off and with it the profits from fur farming.

## LING FISH TO RESCUE

But, then, last winter, the fur ranchers of Lac la Biche were happy again. They've been able to catch a non-palatable fish that seems to be plentiful in the lake.

## SUICIDAL LEMMINGS ON DEATH MARCH

The call of the deep has lured the lemming into his periodical and fatal migration to the sea again this year.

The little Arctic rodent doesn't know it, but the trek from the polar regions to the open sea is his death march. But even if the lemmings were aware of the watery grave at the end of the migration, it is doubtful that the urge for self-destruction would be deterred. This freak obsession for death has run in the lemming family for centuries, to the point where a little rodent has become a symbol for suicide urge.

## IGNORE OBSTACLES

Every two to four years, according to the National Geographic Society, the lemmings succumb to their fears and peculiar ancestral drives and seek relief in mass flight. In hordes, the rodents swarm down the mountains, swim rivers, drive through forests, and advance slowly toward the sea regardless of obstacles.

Thousands die during the migration, but the survivors last from one to three years. But the march of the rodents never ceases until they reach the sea, into which they plunge and drown.

The lemmings are kin to the familiar house and field mice. They are four or five inches long and tawny-yellowish in color. They

It is called "ling" or "Marlas" and, high in Vitamin D, resulted in healthy mink with high breeding rate, low losses and animals fed the scavenger Ling fish obtained bright rich fur color.

## CATCHING TECHNIQUE

It seems the Ling fish loiter along the bottom of the lakes and can be caught with strings of large hooks which are dropped to the floor of the lake near the shore. John Ruch of Lac la Biche is credited with using the method first and here's about how it's done:

Two holes are bored through the ice as far apart as the length of fish required. One end of the line is attached to a small short board called a "jigger." This is pushed into the water under the ice and manipulated by the line towards the other hole. When it reaches that point the jigger is pulled out and the line is "played in" from both holes until it lies on the floor of the lake with hooks and bait attached.

The ling fish, scavenging the bottom of the lake are caught just like any other fish and pulled to the surface at regular intervals.

## RABBITS 3 for 1c

Rabbit furs are valueless at Lac la Biche this year. One buyer is paying 1c for 3 skins just in case the market should amount to anything. Some say a rabbit will be a long time yet as the rabbit cycle is approaching its apex, due to the floor of the lake with hooks and bait attached.

But who knows? Our fickle lady of fashion may decide next year that coyote is more becoming than rabbit and the price will go up. It all depends on the whims of an unnamed group of stylists in London, Paris or New York or some place else.

Fur prices are something like tea and coffee. We can talk about them but nobody but the mystic of our fashion clique can do anything about them.

## SUICIDAL LEMMINGS ON DEATH MARCH

have a short tail, furry feet and small ears.

## LEMMINGS DISCOUNTED

Legend has it that the migrating lemmings in northern Scandinavia march the North Sea and try to swim in it. The legend is the lost continent of Atlantis. Another legend is that the strange behavior of the animals is that he is simply following the ancestral migratory habits back to the days when the North Sea might have been a land mass.

Modern experts, however, tend to discount the legend and explain the migratory habits of the lemmings as nothing but enforced response to the rodent's version of the Malthusian law—it's just a case of too many lemmings and not enough Arctic moose.

Fortunately for the future of the tribe, there always seem to be a few social misfits among the lemmings—those who prefer life in the Arctic to death. A small segment of the colony does not join in the trek but remains in the deserted home to establish a new crop.

## Ha-Ha and Ho-Ho

## FROM NORTHWEST MINER

Social Crediters held a convention in Calgary last fall and evidently, without consulting the leaders, some "wag" introduced a resolution suggesting that the Social Credit government should start giving everyone a bonus of \$1.00 a month without working. This of course was a parody on the spectacular platform of the late William Abernethy, that that according to the "Little Blue Manual" everyone was to get \$25.00 a month—later increased to \$60.00 a year.

What a change has occurred over the years in the attitude of the present Social Credit government and its key supporters. This was fully illustrated when the above resolution was introduced. Everyone is said to have laughed Ha-Ha and a few laughed Ho-Ho.

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**Liberals Insure Election Deposits Against Landslide**

LONDON. — Lloyds of London has insured the British Liberal Party against the monetary loss connected with sweeping defeat at the polls. It has put up £50,000 (\$84,000) worth of insurance for a £5,000 premium.

The Liberals, third strongest party in Britain, announced they had made the arrangement to insure their candidates against the loss of their election deposits. The British people vote on Feb. 23.

Each candidate for the House of Commons must put up £150 (\$420) for the right to appear on the ballot. If he gets less than one eighth of the total votes cast in his district, the money goes into the national treasury.

In the 1945 election, the Liberals polled only 2,253,197 votes out of 25,018,393 cast—less than one-eleventh of the total. They now hold 10 house seats.

The Liberals plan to run more than 400 candidates for the 625 seats in the new house. Lloyds will pay all deposits lost after the first 50 — up to a total of 250. Should the maximum of 200 insured deposits be lost, Lloyds would have to pay £30,000.

Canadians smoke approximately sixteen billion cigarettes a year, and pay \$170,000,000 in federal taxes on these cigarettes.

**A LONG LAST USE IS FOUND FOR PRIZE CUP**

—Central Press Canadian

A good fit is the cup won by this champion female chinchilla who could use it as a spare kannel. Carol Huggins holds the prize animal during the third annual show of the Chinchilla Breeders of Canada, held in Toronto. As a champion, this animal is worth about \$2,500.

**Studebaker Prices Cut \$82 to \$135**

SOUTH BEND, Ind. — The Studebaker Corporation is reducing list prices of all its passenger cars from \$82 to \$135 effective immediately, according to H. S. Vance, president and chairman.

"The year ended Dec. 31, 1949, was the most successful in our history," Mr. Vance declared. "Our production for the year was of record proportions, with passenger car output 43 per cent higher than in 1948.

"Since the introduction of our 1950 models in September we have been able to increase our production further."

**Germination Tests Needed**

According to a statement from the Agricultural Department of National Grain, many samples of wheat seed submitted by farmers for germination tests are testing below 75 per cent. In oats and barley the situation is even more serious.

Farmers are urged to have free germination tests made on their seed grain to ensure satisfactory results with their 1950 crops.

National Grain officials emphasize that due to drought, second growth, hail and frost during the past growing season, tests this year indicate that a very serious seed condition exists in Western Canada, particularly in the northern areas of Saskatchewan and Alberta, while many other districts are also showing poor results.

There is no charge made for germination tests. Farmers should take not less than a 6-oz. sample of their seed grain to the local National Grain Manager, who will forward the seed for testing.

**Not For Awhile**

Export of Alberta natural gas will not take place until a 50-year reserve has been definitely established, according to N. S. Tanner, Alberta's Minister of Lands and Mines.

**Skirts To Be Shorter**

PARIS. — Today's newest fashion show brings in the old look of shortened skirts and more coverage above.

Fifteen and a half inches from the floor for day time and a full inch shorter for evening, that is the decree of Pierre Balmain in the first of the style-setting Haute Couture shows.

In a radical change of the evening picture, he replaced the bare look of last season with demure V or strap necklines. Skirts, slim or full, were all short. Even the bride will walk to the altar in a short skirt.

The dancing mood was felt in ribbon panel skirts and the swallow-tail overskirt. Dignity was given the ensemble by a ground-length train swinging from the shoulders, covered with 18th-century lace.

Lifted from the family album were chiffon ensembles in pastel shades. Coats were trimmed and hemmed in matching furs.

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**National Film Board  
Movie News**

It's 40 below, period, at time of  
writing and the time when those  
banks of snow around the building  
will be melting and the spring  
thaw beginnings seems far away  
and remote indeed. But spring, by  
the inexorable laws of nature, does  
come, sometimes sooner, some-  
times later and with it the spring  
run-off carrying the fertilities de-  
posited in the first five inches of  
top soil down to the creeks and  
thence to the rivers, cutting chan-  
nels across cultivated fields as it  
goes and plugging culverts with  
the soil that should be producing  
the world's next year food sup-  
ply.

Water erosion is the technical  
name for this problem and it,  
along with its half-sister, wind  
erosion, is the topic dealt with in  
the National Film Board's latest  
agricultural release entitled "Land  
in Trust."

In a few decades, Canadians  
turned a wilderness into a nation,  
and all they built was based on  
the capacity of the land to pro-  
duce. We see the rich earth turn-  
ing in deep furrows from the plow  
and then, in tragic contrast, the  
barren gullies of erosion, a national  
calamity caused by the  
thoughtlessness of man.

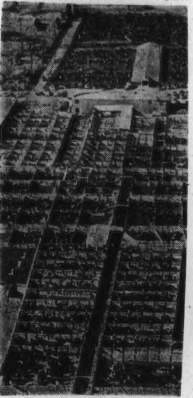
On the western plains, the wind  
blows the land away faster, faster,  
and as the commentary warns, if  
man cannot learn to work with  
nature she will break him ruthlessly  
and surely.

How can soil be protected? Dr.  
E. S. Archibald, director of the  
Dominion Experimental Farm, ex-  
plains the formation of the soil. He  
describes how farmers depleted the  
soil by stripping it of all trees,  
by cultivating up and down hills,  
by removing fibre from the soil,  
and he stresses that man must  
learn to put back into the soil as  
much as he takes out of it.

We see scientists analyzing  
samples of soil, revealing what  
happens when it loses its fibre.  
We see numbers of ways in which  
land may be preserved, by study-  
ing and applying nature's own  
methods. Most important, and the  
real basis of land use, is an intelli-  
gently planned cropping system,  
which includes planting of suitable  
grasses.

Problems of orchard irrigation,  
of drainage, and how to meet the  
next drought period are discussed.  
We see how by patient, scientific  
treatment, land which had become  
almost worthless can be brought  
back to fertility, and how modern  
machines can help in this process.  
With proper knowledge, the rich  
land of Canada can be handed on,  
a priceless heritage, to future  
generations.

This is a film that every farmer  
will be interested in seeing, since  
erosion in one form or other is

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—Central Press Occasions  
The stockyards at Amarillo, Tex.,  
are jammed with cattle as ranchers  
flood the market with their herds.  
Remembering dust bowl days, the  
stockmen are anxious to get the  
beef off pastures which are already  
beginning to powder under the  
freeze and drought conditions. In  
spite of the quantity, prices re-  
mained high.

a problem of prime importance in  
many sections of the province. To  
those newer sections where the  
problem has not developed as yet  
the film will serve as a warning  
of the shape of things to come if  
bad farming practices are con-  
tinued.  
The film will be distributed to  
many points in central and north-  
ern Alberta during the spring  
months. Watch your announce-  
ment for showing on your local  
National Film Board program.

**The Answers**

1. Dead, 78,150; injured, 37,425;  
missing, 13,983.
2. Hydrogen bomb, said to be  
able to devastate an area 300 to  
400 square miles.
3. Hydro — Greek word for  
"water"; gen — Greek word for  
"become".
4. Literally a "council", origi-  
nally a kind of parliamentary  
body, with representatives of  
workers, peasants and soldiers.
5. More than 11 million.
6. 1909, 149 doctors per 100-  
000 people; in 1949, 137 doctors  
per 100,000 people.
7. Mao Tse-tung.
8. 450,000,000.
9. 250,000,000.
10. Only one—the Missouri.

**Gives Lowdown  
On Car Crash**

SAN PEDRO, Calif. — If you  
want the truth, go to a child.  
Officers investigating a traffic  
mishap got confused reports until  
they questioned a boy, 7 who was  
in one of the cars.

Said Junior, helpfully: "Daddy  
was going real fast. Mommy  
asked him to slow down two or  
three times. But Daddy didn't  
stop, no sir."

Investigators didn't report  
Daddy's reaction to his son's  
remarks.

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ing-up place, is 101 years old.



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Air Force units in Exercise Sweetbriar, the joint Canadian-United States winter training operation to be held in the North this month, are to be under command of Group Captain P. A. Gilchrist, DFC, of the RCAF, it was announced by RCAF Headquarters, Ottawa, and United States Air Force Headquarters, Washington.

Group Captain Gilchrist, a native of Wayburn, Sask., commander of the Joint Air Training Centre at Rivers, Man., will be in command of both Canadian and United States Air Force units taking part in the exercise.

The exercise, which will be held in the Yukon and Alaska, will be under the overall command of Lieutenant General Stephen, J. Chamberlin, Commanding General of the United States Fifth Army.

Commander of the Offensive Support Wing under Group Captain Gilchrist will be Wing Commander D. G. Malloy, DFC, of Air Defence Group Headquarters, St. Hubert, P.Q., and a native of Halifax. The Transport Wing will be under command of Wing Commander W. E. Parks, DFC, officer commanding of 435 Transport Squadron, Edmonton, a native of Verwood, Sask.

Participating RCAF squadrons and units will include 410 Fighter Squadron, St. Hubert, P.Q.; 417 Fighter Squadron, Joint Air Training Centre, Rivers, Man.; 426 Transport Squadron, Dorval, P.Q.; 435 Transport Squadron, Edmonton; 112 Transport Flight, Rivers; elements of 408 Photo Squadron, Rockcliffe, Ont.; 444 AOP Squadron, Rivers, and a Composite Light Bomber Flight.

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### The Questions

1. What were the casualties from the first atomic bomb dropped on Hiroshima?
2. What is an H-bomb?
3. What is the derivation of the word hydrogen?
4. What is a "soviet"?
5. How many people in the U.S. are 65 or over?
6. How does the number of doctors in 1909 compare with 1949?
7. Who is head of Communist China?
8. What is the population of China?
9. What is the population of Russia?
10. How many battalions does the U.S. Navy have in active service?

(See "The Answers" on Page 4)

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## PROSPECTS BRIGHT

CALGARY. — Prospects look pretty good for Alberta farmers in 1950, Agriculture Minister David Ure told Calgary Board of Trade.

Indications are, he said, that wheat acreage will be somewhat less than last year and the coarse grain acreage a little higher.

### FEWER POULTRY

"I think we can expect the number of poultry and hogs to be somewhat lower than we had in 1949 and I think the best picture will be about the same," said the minister.

The financial position of the farmer was better now than it had probably ever been before.

Mr. Ure said he did not think anyone would be justified in feeling that prices the Alberta farmer is receiving for his produce are out of line with the general economic conditions.

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Speaking about markets, Mr. Ure said there are indications the domestic demand for agricultural produce in 1950 is going to be good despite the apparently climbing level of unemployment.

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Lesson Text—Acts 11: 19-26; 13: 1-3.

In the Book of Acts, Luke, after telling the story of Saul's conversion and his experiences in Damascus and Jerusalem, reverts back in point of time to recount the early spread of the Christian faith.

The persecution which followed Stephen's death resulted in adherents of the new faith being "scattered abroad," the disciples fleeing to various cities, including Antioch, where they preached the new gospel. However, at this time, they confined their missionary efforts to their own race, "speaking the word to none save only to Jews."

Antioch, in Assyria had been founded three centuries before on the Orontes River. It was the third city in the world, with a population of half a million, and the terminal of rich caravans from Persia and India. It was modern for its day, having a splendid and adequate water system, and its main street, five miles long, was wonderfully lighted by night and travellers by day

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Regardless of its evil practices and reputation, Antioch is known as the second birthplace of Christianity. Here it was that the word was first internationally preached to the Gentiles by Jews having a broad cosmopolitan outlook. These were natives of Cyprus and Cyrene, having lived abroad and broken somewhat with the strict racial code of their brothers in Palestine. In their activity these Jews "spoke unto the Greeks also." Eventually news of this development came to the Jewish Christians in Jerusalem and caused somewhat of a discussion there.

Up to this time the gospel had not been directed particularly to the Gentiles. True, it was that Peter had previously been to Caesarea and received the centurion Cornelius into the faith, which act had been approved at Jerusalem, but no general effort had been made to reach others than Jews. The Jerusalem Christians, somewhat concerned about the reports from Antioch, decided to investigate and wisely selected Barnabas for this purpose. He was a Levite, a native of Cyprus, and his character is amply attested in the commentary that "he was a good man."

Barnabas went to Antioch and was so impressed with the activity there that he remained and took part in it. Remembering Saul of Tarsus, who some seven or eight years ago he had vouched for in Jerusalem, and realizing that this was the type of man for the particular service needed, Barnabas set out for Tarsus in an effort to seek Saul. During these years Saul had been waiting; perhaps sometimes questioning why, but nevertheless, undergoing a period of preparation by working in Cilicia for the wide and greater mission which he was to undertake.

It was at Antioch that the term "Christians" was first applied to the followers of Jesus. This name was of self-assuming because they usually referred to themselves as "saints," "disciples," "believers" or "those of the way." The title was not given them by the Jews, because they were accustomed to refer to the Christians as "Nazarenes," remembering the question whether any good thing could come from that city. The probability is that the Gentiles, perhaps in derision, first began using the term "Christians" for those believing in the new faith.

## Australian Navy Encourages Natives

CANBERRA, Australia. — Shock-haired "fuzzy wuzzies" of Papua, New Guinea, are to form part of the Royal Australian Navy.

Navy Minister Josiah Francis said the formation of a unit of 50 seafmen would encourage natives of island territories to take an active part in the defence of their own country.

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## Army Scans the Air

WASHINGTON—The army is launching a study into how it can build up its small but potentially powerful airborne force.

Gen. J. Lawton Collins, United States Army Chief of Staff, said a panel is being created from officers in the operations organization of the 11th and 82nd Airborne Divisions, the Army General Staff, the Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., and headquarters of the army field forces at Fort Monroe, Va.

Maj. Gen. William M. Miley, Commander of the 11th Airborne will head the group.

At present, the whole complex matter of airborne operations—specially trained airborne troops, glider experts, specialists in loading and dropping equipment and supplies, crews of transport and glider tow planes—has no central directing agency. Other services, like the infantry and armored forces, have centres which direct and coordinate their work.

General Collins recently told reporters he believed that airborne operations "will play a very important role in any future war. But, he commented, there are serious problems to be solved, including methods of getting tanks and heavy equipment to troops dropped by parachute or landed by glider behind enemy lines.

It is these problems which the study panel will consider.

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# LOUISA'S LETTER

Dear Louisa:

Please advise me what to do about a very stubborn old woman. I hate to speak of her in such a way for she is my own dear mother but she is very unreasonable and hard to understand.

She is past seventy years of age and her mind is as bright as a dollar so we can not blame her behavior on childishness.

This is the trouble. She took care of my invalid father for quite a good many years so was naturally tied down. But since father's death, four years ago, she has been acting more like seventeen than a woman past seventy.

She makes friends with strange people instead of sticking by old friends we have all known for years. She goes "joy" riding with them and even to the theatre.

Worst of all she goes to picnics on Sunday. She taught us children that was sinful to do on the Lord's Day.

Just because my health is poor and I am unable to do her laundry and to take her on pleasure trips, she tells my neighbors that I am neglecting her. She does contribute to the household expenses but I only have her do this so she will feel independent. Then she tells her neighbors in a bragging way that she pays her own way.

I'm sure she gives her strange friends expensive gifts. I'm worried now for fear she will give away her property. Is there any legal way we can prevent her doing it? Her friends are women so

they can't get her property by marriage.

I have a sister and the two of us have children so we feel that mother's property should be ours when she is through with it. I will greatly appreciate your advice.

M. W.—Fla.

Answer:

I think your mother is just having a little fling because she missed so much during the time she was nursing your father. As you say there is nothing wrong with her mind, there is really nothing you can do to keep her from enjoying herself.

Everyone is entitled to judge for themselves, after they are grown whether they should go to the theatre or on a picnic or not. And if she has the money to pay her way, she is certainly entitled to do as she pleases.

Of course, I am not able to judge, whether these "strange"

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friends are so interesting people she has recently met or gold-diggers, who are out after her property.

Naturally, I think she should leave her property to her children because if she were poor, her children would be the ones she had to depend on and not fair-weather friends.

My advice to you and your sister, if you want to keep the property in the family, is to stop criticizing the old lady and make home and family more interesting for her. Perhaps if you would take her for a ride or to the movies occasionally, she would not be so eager to go with strangers.

But I certainly do not think she should expect you to do her laundry if she is able to hire someone to do it for her.

Good Luck,  
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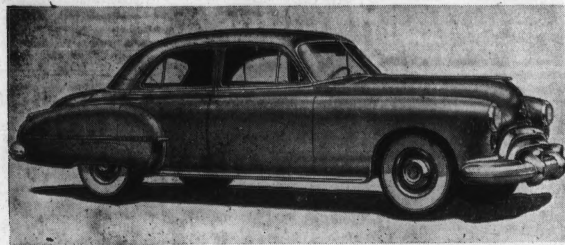
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## OLDSMOBILE OFFERS NEW 1950 FEATURES



The new 1950 Futuramic Oldsmobile just announced by General Motors is available in either the Series 76 or Series 88—the latter powered by the 135 h.p. high compression Rocket engine teamed with the newly-developed Whirlaway Hydra-Matic Drive. Standard Hydra-Matic Drive is an option at extra cost on Series 76 models. The 1950 Oldsmobile also features smartened exterior appearance, new interior trim design, new colors and sturdier construction—shown here is the Series 76 deluxe four-door Sedan.

## New Oldsmobile For 1950

OSHAWA. — A new restyled Futuramic Oldsmobile for 1950, available in two series, and featuring smartened exterior appearance, new interior tailoring and trim design, new colors and sturdier construction has been announced by General Motors.

The famed "Rocket" high-compression engine, introduced last year again powers the Series 88 Oldsmobile. This model is automatically supplied with the new Oldsmobile Whirlaway Hydra-Matic Drive developed especially to team with the "Rocket" engine.

The standard Hydra-Matic Drive—nearly 1,000,000 have proved their reliability in billions of miles over the past 10 years—is available as an option at extra cost on the Series 76. This series, powered by a six-cylinder engine with 105 h.p., offers a choice of standard or deluxe four-door sedan, two-door club sedan and a standard club coupe.

The Series 88, powered by 135 h.p. valve-in-head Rocket engine with a compression ratio of 7.5 to 1, is available in deluxe four-door sedan and deluxe two-door club sedan. Both Series 76 and 88 are mounted on 119½-inch wheelbase.

Oldsmobile for 1950 retains the same frontal look with its low, broad, road hugging appearance. The strikingly simple grille and the massive "wrap-around" bumper with the "three-in-one" lights are keynotes of Futuramic styling.

Other highlights of exterior styling include a new hood ornament on the Series 76, with a Rocket superimposed to mark the Series 88; new stainless steel rear fender molding on the Series 76 with the word "Futuramic" embossed at its forward end; a new trunk emblem and rear deck handle; new trunk locks, separated from the trunk handle; and new hub caps with drop centre styling.

The Series 88 has new front fender stainless steel moldings carrying back along the fender into the front door. There is a distinctive tail light unit located high up on the fenders where they can be seen readily from both sides as well as the rear. These carry the numerals "88" at the side of the lenses.

Added to the traditionally smart interiors are luxurious trim, hardware and fittings. New simulated carpet rubber floor mats have been fitted in rear compartments. Oldsmobile's unissteel body construction has been further strengthened for 1950 and greater rigidity added to the centre of the body and the roof sections by the

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addition of box type roof rail sections in place of the previous "U" channel type. "L" shaped reinforcements have also been added at a number of points in the body to add further strength, durability and safety.

The new Oldsmobile Whirlaway Hydra-Matic Drive offered in the Series 88 models was developed especially for use with the Rocket engine. It has three main advantages; first "gear" is available in low range, but has been eliminated from the standard driving range, for greater smoothness; there is more "cushion" in the fluid coupling—more ease and quietness of acceleration; and the oil pressure operating the clutches is now controlled by both the engine speed and the throttle position for consistent smoothness at light and full throttle alike.

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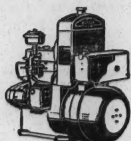
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### 'Haywire' Situation Is Way Ike Sees It

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In broad terms, Eisenhower attributed the outcropping of feuds and controversies among the three services to the high confidence of each in his own force.

"Take a paratrooper with his very, very high morale," Eisenhower said. "A paratrooper really thinks that if you give him two bazookas and a jeep, he'll go anywhere and whip the world.

"Of course, it's a fine spirit. But the fact is that each service gets this almost cocky confidence in its own forces and then the heat of argument starts as all come to realize that there is not enough money for everything."

Eisenhower, now president of Columbia University, discussed several phases of the armed services row in a copyright interview published by U.S. News and World Report, weekly news magazine.

### Don't Take A Chance

In spite of the continued warning, too many accidents still occur as a result of carbon-monoxide poisoning. Warning up cars, trucks or tractors inside a closed building, or opening the door too little to allow sufficient air circulation is asking for trouble. C. A. Cheshire, Extension Agricultural Engineer, Alberta Department of Agriculture also advises a periodic check of exhaust pipe and mufflers.

From leaks in the exhaust pipe or muffler, gases may escape into the cab of the truck or body of the car with drastic results. This condition is most dangerous when the vehicle is standing still with the engine running.

Tractor accidents took an even greater toll of life in 1949 than did carbon-monoxide poisoning. Increased road speed and decreased rolling resistance have a bearing on this. With the modern high speed tractor, many operators rely to a large extent on individual wheel braking to assist in steering. This tends to tip the tractor, warns Mr. Cheshire, and should be avoided unless absolutely necessary.

Decreased rolling resistance of the modern tractor makes it particularly dangerous to hitch to an implement on an up-hill grade. Apply the brake or use a block. Unless this is done the tractor may roll back and result in a dead or maimed operator. Many tractor accidents could also be prevented by shutting down the engine before refueling.

### Blood Donor Clinics To Start In April

From January to the middle of April, the Blood Donor Service of the Canadian Red Cross Society in Southern Alberta is maintained by the society's Calgary branch.

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We will be arranging your next clinic time with your convenor in the near future. We do hope you will make it a community effort.

### Plans Reversed

Plans for a group of Canadian boys to visit England in 1950 have been reversed. British boys will tour Canada instead. The Canadian boys were to have visited England under the sponsorship of millionaire biscuit manufacturer W. Garfield.

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### Radar Directs Path Of Ships

VANCOUVER. — New double-antenna radar gear in Vancouver Harbor "talked" an estimated 53,000 ships in and out of the harbor during 1949, according to W. J. Mooney, chief signalman of the radar unit.

Installed by a team of natural scientists from the Canadian National Research Council, the radar gear is at First Narrows Signal Station, high up in the centre of Vancouver's Lions Gate Bridge.

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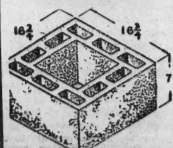
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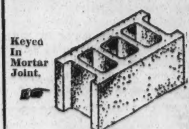
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## Airdrie Man Wins Tax Case

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The three members of the board, R. T. Graham, Fabio Monet and W. S. Fisher, agreed that Donald T. Brown, of Airdrie, should be allowed to deduct \$1 as the cost of an "Alberta tradesman's license" in 1946.

However, it was with Mr.

Fisher's dissent that the board decided to allow Mr. Brown deduction on tools valued at \$500.

Turned down were claims of \$53.64 for medical expenses; \$78.36 representing 100 percent depreciation on cold weather clothing bought for work at Norman Wells where he was employed by Imperial Oil Ltd., \$19.60 for tool storage and cost of trade magazines, and \$63.68 for expenses involved in seeking employment.

"I am not here mainly to get a few dollars", Brown told the board. "I am here more because I am mad and because I came here to establish a point".

Later, describing the revenue department which is responsible Brown said:

"They write often enough; they answer all my letters, but they say nothing".

The \$1 deduction for license was awarded because Mr. Brown had to pay it before he could be permitted to work in Alberta.

The revenue department had turned down the deduction for tools depreciation on the grounds that Mr. Brown worked on a fixed salary and that under the act cost of tools formed "part of his personal or living expenses".

"It seems to me that the minister exercised his discretion wrongly under the provisions of paragraph (N) when denying the appellant an amount for depreciation because the latter was working on a fixed salary," said Mr. Monet's judgment. He referred the matter to the revenue department for reassessment.

In dissenting, Mr. Fisher emphasized that depreciation should not have been permitted on the tools because it was indicated that Mr. Brown had not used the tools to any extent in the taxation year.

## Home Service

MATTOON, Ill. — Twin daughters born to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Calahan here a few days ago increased the family census figure to seven. Calahan owns and operates a diaper service.

## Official Opening Of New Airdrie School

AIRDRIE — Approximately 400 people attended the official opening of the new Airdrie School Friday, February 10th.

Upon arrival, guests were given the opportunity to inspect the building, which has four class rooms, and other smaller rooms, a full-sized basement in which the meeting was held.

Meeting opened with "O Canada".

The chairman was Mr. R. J. Hawkey who was the first teacher in Airdrie 46 years ago. He gave a brief resume of the history of the Airdrie school. In 1903 he and his father took up land in this district. It was on a part of this land the first school was built in 1904. Mr. Hawkey started with six pupils in attendance. His last year there (after thirteen years) he had fifty-five pupils with all grades one to eleven inclusive. In 1920 another schoolroom was added. Still later when more accommodation was needed the old United church was used.

Mr. Hawkey spoke of the contrast between that first school and the new building now used.

Mr. Mumby then brought greetings from the Crossfield School, Crossfield Home and School, the local school board and the Calgary Rural A.T.A. Local of which he is president. The Girls' chorus entertained with two numbers.

Mr. W. Pole, Divisional Trustee, then introduced the following: Mr. O. P. Gosling, Secretary Calgary School Division; Mrs. Whitman of the office staff; Miss K. Wood of the office staff; Mr. George Reynolds, carpenter; Mr. Rudy, handyman about office; Mr. Aiken, chairman of the Divisional Board; carpenters who were employed on building; Mr. Wray, President of Airdrie Home and School Association.

Mr. Aiken, on behalf of the board, spoke of good work done by Mr. Gosling and Mr. Pole. He urged close co-operation between residents and their divisional trustees.

Mr. Aiken has resigned from the board due to stress of personal business. Mr. Gosling gave a history of the building program of the Calgary Division. He spoke of the difficulties—finances poor and materials short. Three years ago it was decided to build one new school a year without incurring too much debt. With fifty school units represented this would take years. The debenture issue was defeated but it was decided to build a school where need was greatest—at Airdrie. He gave a detailed cost of this new school.

Materials, \$4,500, electrical work \$1,200, furnace \$4,100, paint \$400, floors \$1,000, labor \$7,000, other materials \$13,000. Approximate total \$31,200.00.

Mr. G. L. Wilson spoke briefly and presented the students with a plaque "Think" expressing the hope they would use it as their motto and think before defacing their new building in any way.

Mr. Bell of the Airdrie United church spoke briefly. Next was a song by Donald Clayton (a young pupil) which was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Wilson introduced the guest speaker, Dr. Swift, Deputy Minister of Education. He expressed regret that Hon. Ivan Casey was unable to attend. He congratulated the people of Airdrie on their fine school, and spoke briefly on school matters in general.

The teaching staff of Airdrie school was then introduced:

Mr. Cottrell, principal; Mr. Van Teighen, vice-principal; Miss A. McKilligan, Mr. Roy Edwards.

President of Students' Union, Donna Wray, was also introduced. Next was a recitation by Bobby Young. Mr. Cottrell spoke briefly ending with this remark: "We

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# West Coast Hockey Split Is Rumored

No one in authority is talking yet, but split of the Pacific Coast Hockey League into two separate circuits seems likely. The PCHL currently operates in two divisions—northern and southern—with each team making one road swing per year through the division and out of it in Washington, Oregon and year through the opposite section. California teams make up British Columbia the northern half.

Such a split into separate leagues has been rumored for several years, largely because of economy reasons. Nothing official ever has been done, however.

## MORE PERSUASIVE

But this season, the argument for separate circuits becomes all the more persuasive. One southern team—Oakland—already has suspended operations because of declining attendance. Two more—Los Angeles and San Francisco—reportedly are not doing at all well financially.

Only San Diego and Fresno, so the reports go, are breaking even at the gate. On the other hand, all the northern teams reportedly are doing quite well. The northern division race has been a good one this year and attendance has held its all along the line.

Biggest argument against the two divisions remaining together is the costly road trips. The interdivisional jaunts are all outlay—no income—and constitute quite a drain on the exchequer.

In the northern division particularly there is much more rivalry between, say New West-

minster-Vancouver or Seattle-Tacoma, than is engendered when a southern division team comes to town. Naturally, it works the same way down south.

The northern division could form into a tight little league with Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster. Spokane also is interested in Pacific Coast League hockey, if and when a new rink is built.

The southern division might not be quite as strong, but Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego, Fresno, Oakland, Sacramento and San Bernardino all are possibilities. There also is a currently non-operative franchise in Hollywood.

Should the league split, an interesting post-season playoff then might be arranged between the two winners. Divisional titlists now do meet in such a playoff and it is the best feature of the divisional arrangement.

If any action on dividing the league is taken, it undoubtedly will come during the spring meeting. Best guess right now is a split.

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